

## REMARKS

The “hinge” element is not a necessary element for the liquid crystal display of this application. Thus, in new claim 9, the “hinge” element has been removed. This element has been added in new claim 25 to clarify (via Doctrine of Claim Differentiation) that it is not a necessary element of claim 9.

Applicants acknowledge their duty to surrender the original ribbon-copy of the patent (or explain its absence) before this reissue application can be issued.

## CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, it is believed that all pending claims are in proper condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that a telephone conference would expedite the examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned.

No fee is believed to be due in connection with this amendment and response to Office Action. If, however, any fee is believed to be due, you are hereby authorized to charge any such fee to deposit account No. 20-0778.

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